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UNTRUE TO PLEDGE HOUSE WILL BE DEMOCRATIC

REPUBLICAN PARTY CONVICTED OF UNFAITHFULNESS.

Assertion of Vice-President Sherman That Platform Promises Have Been Kept Not Likely to Deceive the People.

The Republican party fulfilled its campaign pledges in passing the tariff bill. Every schedule was prepared to overcome the difference between the cost of production at home and abroad.

From Vice-President Sherman's Kansas City Address. Why did Vice-President Sherman make this statement? He could scarcely have thought of anything to say that would have sounded more amazing to the west. And Mr. Sherman cannot be either so ignorant or so indifferent as to sentiment in this section as not to have known just how very amazing such a statement would be.

It must be assumed, of course, that the vice-president is sincere; that he believes the Republican party has kept its pledges. But if he does so believe, then he must hold that the party did not promise downward revision. And note, please, the position in which such a claim would place him.

The country demanded tariff revision. Mr. Taft responded to that sentiment, because its chief exponent, fostered it crystallized it and was nominated against a strong "field" of reactionaries because of it. And because of it the party, through its convention, promised revision. Now does Mr. Sherman hold that this demand for revision was a demand for upward revision? Does he claim that the demand was merely for a bit of tinkering, when the demand was based on the excessive cost of living, and the growth of the trusts in power and arrogance and oppression?

A demand for revision based on these causes was unmistakably a demand for downward revision.

A promise of revision under these circumstances was unmistakably a promise of downward revision.

The vice-president goes far when he says that "every schedule was prepared to overcome the difference between the cost of production at home and abroad." Even Aldrich does not claim that the tariff bill was framed on that basis. He has said that the facts essential to make comparisons were not available and generally speaking he was right, for there was no expert, non-partisan source of general information on this subject, as there should be and as there would be in the future if congress, in this same tariff proceeding, had not refused to provide for an expert tariff commission, amply empowered to secure such information. But even in the instances in which absolutely trustworthy comparisons between the cost of domestic and foreign productions were offered congress refused to use such comparisons as a basis of the schedules affected.

Furthermore, Senator Dilliver offered an amendment to the effect that no duty should be higher than 100 per cent. That amendment was rejected. Think of it! Think of any American industry not being willing to accept 100 per cent. protection as sufficient to enable it to compete with foreign rivals! An industry that needs 100 per cent. or more protection should be abandoned. There is nothing even in the fundamental theory of protection to sustain an industry at such cost to the people.

But the reason for the rejection of the Dilliver amendment was apparent when the bill was completed, for then it was found that some articles in the protected list carried duties of 500 per cent.

Again, why did the vice-president make such an astounding statement?—Kansas City Star.

Day of Reckoning to Come.

In the recent tariff revision the welfare of the people, the ultimate consumer was lost sight of, and there will be a sad day of reckoning for those who proved faithless to the trust reposed in them.—Hillsboro (N. D.) Banner.

Voters Sure to Turn to Only Party That Can Bring Real Relief from Oppression.

There is a good deal of impractical theorizing about the coming realignment of political parties. Most of the "new party" talk is visionary.

The new tariff law has emphasized, it is true, the claim that the Republican party is a party of trusts and special privilege. The western insurgents in that party could not better down the wall that the traffickers in special privilege have reared to keep the common people out of a just share in government.

But the Democratic party, in spite of its traitors, has its face toward the future. It has workings in the halls of congress, but there are a handful compared with the men who, through evil and good report, are fighting the people's battles.

It is to honest Democrats, elected on a genuine tariff reform issue, that the hopes of Americans are turning in an economic crisis. The fatuity of high-tariff Republicans has paved the way for a Democratic house of representatives.

And the assurance of a Democratic lower house, in the middle of President Taft's administration, looks certain in exact proportion as the new tariff law's aftermath is felt throughout the west.

Not even a presidential swing around the circle will be able to stem the tide.

West to Assume Leadership.

The thing that stands out in bold relief is that the great west has come to a new state of consciousness on the tariff controversy. The voice of that people in favor of a revision that will more equitably balance the interests of producers and consumers has found expression in the form of congressional leadership. Half a dozen western senators to any one of whom the nation listens when he speaks, and a score of representatives have taken their stand against a tariff dictated primarily by ultra-protected interests.

This nucleus of leadership has gone home to justify itself before its constituents. Unless recent indications of popular approval are greatly overestimated, these congressmen will come back with a measure of indorsement that will make them more valiant and less resistible than ever in their onslaught upon local standpointism and all that it represents.—Scranton (Pa.) Tribune.

A Great Blow at State's Rights.

The tariff bill, with its provision for a corporation tax, has struck the greatest blow at state rights that has been inflicted since the adoption of the constitution. It will be noticed that the new law does not give the federal government any control over the creation of corporations, which now, as heretofore, are recognized as solely the creations of the state; but for the first time it subjects them to the scrutiny of the federal tax collector under the direction of the commissioner of internal revenue in Washington. This is "centralized government" with a vengeance, according to its opponents; it is now only the camel's nostril, but soon he will have his entire body inside, and the poor states will be driven out in the cold. "The power to tax," as John Marshall said, "is the power to destroy."—London National Review.

Imposes Needless Burdens.

France and Germany require the manufacturing materials and food products which they must get from us, while the United States can get along, if pressed, without the things which we buy from France and Germany. The present tariff will, therefore, impose needless burdens on our own people, for which there will be no corresponding benefit, while any hope to extend growing commercial relations with these countries must, while present conditions obtain, be abandoned.—Albany (N. Y.) Times-Union.

Indictment of the Senate.

The complete enslavement of 80,000,000 of people by Nelson Aldrich and the interests he espouses is really about all that an impartial historian could say of the senate of the past few years.—Los Angeles Bystander.

A NURSE'S EXPERIENCE.

Backache, Pains in the Kidneys, Bloating, Etc., Overcome.

A nurse is expected to know what to do for common ailments, and women who suffer backache, constant languor, and other common symptoms of kidney complaint, should be grateful to Mrs. Minnie Turner, of E. B. St., Anadarko, Okla., for pointing out the way to find quick relief. Mrs. Turner used Doan's Kidney Pills for a run-down condition, backache, pains in the sides and kidneys, bloated limbs, etc. "The way they have built me up is simply marvelous," says Mrs. Turner, who is a nurse. "My health improved rapidly. Five boxes did so much for me I am telling everybody about it."

Remember the name—Doan's. Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

WHERE THEY LEARN ECONOMY

Matron Knew What She Was About When She Went to Engage a Maid.

The manager of the employment agency was used to hearing women in search of maids ask applicants all sorts of queer questions, says the New York Tribune, but this matron made him mildly curious. Of 14 girls in turn she had inquired: "Have you worked in a minister's family?" None of them had. "Too bad," said the matron to the manager. "None of these girls will do."

"May I ask," said the manager, "why you are anxious to know if these girls have worked in ministers' families?"

"Why, the fact is, we're very hard up just now," said the matron candidly. "I want a girl who knows how to economize, and those who have worked in clergymen's families, I've discovered, have learned that lesson."

On a Time Limitation.

In spite of the reputation for latitudinarianism he gained from his early trial for heresy, the late Prof. Dowsett of Oxford was intolerant of pretentiousness and shallow conceit. One self-satisfied undergraduate met the master one day. "Master," he said, "I have searched everywhere in all philosophies, ancient and modern, and nowhere do I find the evidence of a God." "Mr. —," replied the master, after a shorter pause than usual, "if you don't find a God by five o'clock this afternoon you must leave this college."

Feeding Farm Hands.

Every farmer's wife knows what tremendous appetites farm hands usually have; but while they eat well they work well, too.

Here's a good suggestion about feeding farm hands. Give them plenty of Quaker Oats. A big dish of Quaker Oats porridge with sugar and cream or milk is the greatest breakfast in the world for a man who needs vigor and strength for a long day's work. The man that eats Quaker Oats plentifully and often is the man who does good work without excessive fatigue. There is a sustaining quality in Quaker Oats not found in other foods, and for economy it is at the head of the list. Besides the regular size packages Quaker Oats is packed in large size family packages, with and without china.

Guess Where She Is From.

The head of the house had been ill for many months, and had lost his appetite entirely.

"I can't seem to fix anything that he'll enjoy and he hardly eats anything," the mistress was saying to the maid, who was a new arrival from the old country.

"That's always the way," returned the girl. "They're all the same, them invalids. All they want is nothing at all, and then when you bring it to them they don't eat it."

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such actions should never be used except on the most desperate cases by reputable physicians, as the damage they do is too bad to be given you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co., Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Repatee in the Bright Family.

"The newspapers are making a great stir about men's disinclination to marry," remarked Mrs. Bright.

"The Bible says there are no marriages in heaven," commented Mr. B.

"And what has that to do with us?" Bright laughed.

"Perhaps they are figuring on having a little heaven on earth."

The Grouchy Man.

She—There's Mrs. Toozle. She seems quite reconciled to the death of her first husband.

He—Yes; but I'm afraid that her second never will be.—Illustrated Bits.

When a man begins to tell a woman about his past love affairs he is planning to add another to the list.

HAVING FUN WITH A BANKER

Practical Joke That Doubtless Was More Appreciated by the Player Than the Victim.

Councilman P. A. Drew is fond of playing practical jokes on William H. Lee, president of the Merchants-Ladecade National bank. Mr. Drew was for years a director in Mr. Lee's bank.

While the bankers were waging their recent war upon prohibition, Mr. Drew late one night rang up Mr. Lee at his home and represented that he was a reporter assigned to get Mr. Lee's views on the situation.

Mr. Lee complained somewhat bitterly on being called out of bed at that hour of night to give an interview, but finally got warmed up to the subject and for 30 minutes pictured the desolation that would result in St. Louis if Missouri went dry.

"Let me see," said Mr. Drew at the conclusion of the interview, "you are Mr. William H. Lee, the banker?"

"No," snapped Mr. Lee, "I am Mr. William H. Lee, the banker."

"Oh," said Mr. Drew, apologetically, "I am very sorry, but I wanted to talk to Mr. Lee the whiskey expert, and not Mr. Lee the financier."

Mr. Drew hung up the receiver before the explosion occurred on the other end of the wire.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

CHILD ATE CUTICURA OINTMENT.

Spread Whole Box of It on Crackers.—Not the Least Injury Resulted.

Cuticura Thus Proven Pure and Sweet.

A New York friend of Cuticura writes:

"My three year old son and heir, after being put to bed on a trip across the Atlantic, investigated the stateroom and located a box of graham crackers and a box of Cuticura Ointment. When a search was made for the box, it was found empty and the kid admitted that he had eaten the contents of the entire box spread on the crackers. It cured him of a bad cold and I don't know what else."

No more conclusive evidence could be offered that every ingredient of Cuticura Ointment is absolutely pure, sweet and harmless. If it may be safely eaten by a young child, none but the most beneficial results can be expected to attend its application to even the tenderest skin or youngest infant.

Potter Drug & Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston.

HIS REAL WOE



"Why so glum, old man? Won't she return your love?"

"No. But the worst of it is she won't return the presents I gave her."

A Work of Supererogation.

Henry dislikes being bathed and argues with his mother over every square inch of his four-year-old anatomy.

One night, when his patience was especially tried by what he considered wholly unnecessary work, he exclaimed:

"Oh, mamma, couldn't you skip my stomach? Nobody ever sees my stomach!"—Judge's Library.

The Thirst for Gore.

Unsophisticated Onlooker—I think this is a first rate place. See what a fine view we have of this car coming.

Seasoned Spectator—Fine view indeed! Nothing ever happens on these straight stretches—not even a broken leg. Come on down to the turn and wait for the fun.—Puck.

Beginning Hostilities.

Mr. Perkly—Oh, if you could only learn to cook as my first wife did!

Mrs. Perkly—If you were as smart as my dear first husband was you'd be rich enough to hire the best cook in the land.

"No matter how long your neck may be or how sore your throat, Haulins Wizard Oil will cure it surely and quickly. It drives out all soreness and inflammation."

Ancestral pride is the safest thing in the world. Our ancestors are too dead to kick about the liberties we take with them.

When a woman has occasion to loaf, she calls it either shopping, visiting or entertaining.

The dog in the manger is the one that does the most growling.

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES

Color more goods brighter and faster colors than any other dye. One 10c package colors all fibers. Then dye in cold water better than any other dye. You can dye any garment without ripping apart. Write for free booklet—How to Dye, Bleach and Mix Colors. MONROE DRUG CO., Quincy, Illinois.

You can't tell by the size of the gravestone how big the man was who lies in the grave.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Gossip has a thousand tongues—and they all work overtime.

THE VERY SOUL OF TRAGEDY

Recital of Wrong Calculated to Draw Tears from the Eyes of a Graven Image.

Some miscreant, unresponsive to the beauties of nature and of the sweet charm evoked by the combination of two friends, a starry sky and a broad expanse of moonlit water, some rank materialist whose phlegmatic disposition was never stirred at a philanthropic act, some petty seeker after gain, some rogue, has stolen the broad, comfortable bench so fittingly placed on the Mulberry street wharf by Harry J. Arnold and Robert King. At least the bench has disappeared, and all that meets one's eyes upon the green sward are the two upright posts that supported the back of the seat. No more can lovesick youth stray to its soothing recesses and gaze upon the silvery moon, regent of the night, likening her in his ecstasy to his lady fair. No more, alas, can betrothed pair seek its seclusion and drink the love-light from each other's eyes, silent but for the words their souls speak through their lips. Again, alas, no more can melancholy philosopher, disgusted with the ways of men, wander to its sequestered place and find companionship only in the placid, smooth running stream and the limitless universe above. In short, all the pleasures derived from this convalescence are gone, and we will hereafter be forced to stand or sit on the edge of the wharf and let our feet dangle.—Bristol Correspondent Boyles town Republican.

Would Find Use for It.

After a day and a night spent in an answering telephone calls from people who wanted the latest news from Peary and Dr. Cook, the secretary of one of the arctic clubs had retired for a well-earned rest when the persistent "phone bell rang again. A voice at the other end said:

"Do you want the ambulance sent right over?"

"What ambulance?" roared the irate secretary.

"Why, the one you sent for."

"I sent for no ambulance."

"You lie!"

The secretary gasped, then he screamed into the "phone:

"Send it as soon as possible, and you come over, too, and I'll send you back in it!"

Physicians Everywhere Use Resinol With Very Great and Unvarying Success.

During the last six months I have prescribed Resinol in numerous cases of acute and chronic skin diseases and chronic ulcerations with very great and unvarying success. It is a reliable preparation, and its action is prompt and pleasing.

A. F. Volkmann, Baltimore, Md.

The Way of It.

"But I don't love you," objected the young woman.

"Then why?" howled the indignant youth, referring hastily to divers memoranda in his pocket diary. "did you eat up a total of 53 boxes of chocolates I bought you during the past year if you didn't love me?"

"Because," she said, with a rapid expression on her lovely features, "I do love chocolate."

Interchange of Opinions.

Said William's Wife—William can make money, but he will never be able to save any.

Said William's Mother—That is just what I warned my son when he wanted to marry you.—Baltimore American.

Of Some Benefit.

Barber—Did the bottle of hair restorer I sold you do any good?

Customer—Yes, indeed; it kept me from wasting my money on any more.

Lewis' Single Binder straight 5c—Many smokers prefer them to 10c cigars.

Strange how a girl's ideal can develop into merely her husband.

Afraid of Ghosts

Many people are afraid of ghosts. Few people are afraid of germs. Yet the ghost is a fancy and the germ is a fact. If the germ could be magnified to a size equal to its terror it would appear more terrible than any fire-breathing dragon. Germs can't be avoided. They are in the air we breathe, the water we drink.

The germ can only prosper when the condition of the system gives it free scope to establish itself and develop. When there is a deficiency of vital force, languor, restlessness, a salivary cheek, a hollow eye, when the appetite is poor and the sleep is broken, it is time to guard against the germ. You can fortify the body against all germs by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It increases the vital power, cleanses the system of clogging impurities, enriches the blood, puts the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition in working condition, so that the germ finds no weak or tainted spot in which to breed.

"Golden Medical Discovery" contains no alcohol, whisky or habit-forming drugs. All its ingredients printed on its outside wrapper. It is not a secret nostrum but a medicine of known composition and with a record of 40 years of cures. Accept no substitute—there is nothing "just as good." Ask your neighbors.

COLT DISTEMPER

Can be handled very easily. The skin is cured and all other ailments are removed by the use of "Colt's Distemper." It is the only distemper that can be used on the skin. It is the only distemper that can be used on the skin. It is the only distemper that can be used on the skin.

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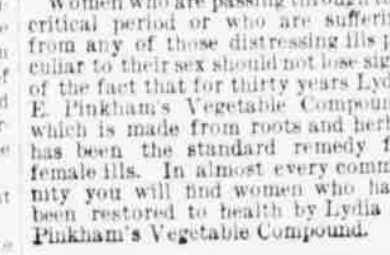
Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Columbus, Ohio.—"I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound during change of life. My doctor told me it was good, and since taking it I feel so much better that I can do all my work again. I think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fine remedy for all women's troubles, and I never forget to tell my friends what it has done for me."—Mrs. E. HANSON, 304 East Long St., Columbus, Ohio.

Another Woman Helped.

Graniteville, Vt.—"I was passing through the change of life and suffered from nervousness and other annoying symptoms. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound restored my health and strength, and proved worth mountains of gold to me. For the sake of other suffering women I am willing you should publish my letter."—Mrs. CHARLES BARCLAY, R.F.D., Graniteville, Vt.

Women who are passing through this critical period of who are suffering from any of these distressing ills peculiar to their sex should not lose sight of the fact that for thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills. In almost every community you will find women who have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



SICK HEADACHE

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Discomfort from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Heavy Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Headaches, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER.

They regulate the bowels. Purely Vegetable.

SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature

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